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A Strange Case of Child Murder.

The English papers contain articles upon a late mysterious murder at Frome:

Frome is a market town in Somersetshire; near it is the village of Road, and in Road lives the family of a Mr. Kent, consisting of wife and two children, besides four children by a former wife. The younger children, a girl and little boy of three years old, slept in a chamber adjoining that of the parents, with the nursery maid. Miss Constance Kent, just sixteen, slept in a room by herself; William Kent, something younger, occupied a chamber near by; the two eldest (girls) had a room together. On the 29th of June last the youngest boy, Francis Saville Kent, was put into his cot in the nurse's room, as usual. When the nurse retired the little child was asleep; the door being ajar, and the inner door, which led to the chamber of Mr. and Mrs. Kent, being also ajar. At five, or thereabout, the nursery maid woke, and observed that the boy was missing; but presuming that Mrs. Kent had taken him to her own room, she fell asleep again, and did not wake till seven. She dressed the other children, without inquiring after the boy—observing only that the coverlet was neatly folded down over the foot of the cot.

But Mrs. Kent had not seen the boy; knew nothing of him. Immediately there is great alarm. Mr. Kent, after hastily looking about the house, which he finds undisturbed, save that the parlor window (which was fastened every night) is half open; sets off for Frome, in pursuit of the police, believing that the child is stolen. He says as much to two neighbors on the way, who presently come over to the home of the Kents, and, after long search, finally find the body of the poor boy, wrapped in his blanket, and with his throat cut from ear to ear. To reach the outhouse from the dwelling at night would involve intimate knowledge of the grounds, as the path led through dense shrubbery. Moreover, a watch-dog was set loose every night to guard the premises; no one had heard the bark of the dog, and he appeared as usual on the morning succeeding the murder.

All the knives of the house were found in their places, and on submitting them to examination with a microscope, showed no traces of blood. Two additional servants in the house, who slept in one room, had heard no unusual noise.

An experienced detective came down from London and took up his quarters at the house; he very soon came to the conclusion that no one but an inmate could be guilty. A night-dress of Miss Constance Kent was found to be missing: on the strength of this circumstance only she was taken before a magistrate and examined. The servants, without exception, testified to uniform kindness on her part toward the murdered boy. A school-mate of the accused gave testimony to the effect that Constance Kent had often complained of the partiality of the father for his younger children, and in a laughing way had hoped she could be rid of them.

She was honorably discharged; her lawyer expressing great indignation at the course which the detective had seen fit to pursue. As yet there is no clue to the mystery.

A special commission has been appointed to ferret out, if possible, the murderer.

☞ An Irish traveling merchant, alias a pedlar, asked an itinerant poulterer the price of a pair of fowls. "Six shillings, sir." "In my dear country, my darling, you might buy them for sixpence a pace." "Why don't you remain in your own country then?" "'Cause we have no *sixpences*, my jewel," said Pat.

News Items.

The largest church in California is now in process of erection in San Francisco by the Episcopalians of Grace Church Parish. It will be sixty-nine by one hundred and thirty-seven feet, and will cost $75,000. The entire number of brick consumed in the church will be 1,500,000.

A mail passenger by the California Company's stage up the other evening, says the San Juan *Press*, insulted a female passenger. The driver stopped his team, took the passenger out and whaled him soundly, and left him on the road.

John Johnson brings suit in the Fourth District Court for $10,000 damages against Thomas Wallace, for defamation of character.

The billiard match on Saturday, between Eaton and Gallote, was won by the latter by thirty-six points. Another match for $500 a side was made up between the parties, to come off immediately.

A dispatch from Boston states that Capt. Morgan, of the slave bark Orion, had been sentenced, in the United States District Court, to pay a fine of twenty thousand dollars, and be imprisoned two years. The two mates, Chamberlin and Donham, were sentenced respectively twenty-one months and two years.

It is stated that in the case of F. O. J. Smith *vs.* Professor Morse, heard in Boston, the referees have awarded to Smith five sixteenths of 400,000 francs paid and to be paid to Professor Morse by the French and European Governments for the use of the Morse telegraph; the award subject to the proportionate part of Professor Morse's expenditures in obtaining the Government grants.

Capt. Chas. Arnaud de Riviere, the gallant Zouave, who has figured somewhat prominently before the American public more recently as a converted sinner doing penance in a Philadelphia monastery, has finally turned up in his old role of the warrior. At last accounts, De Riviere was a Captain in General Lamoriciere's army, fighting in the cause of the Pope against the Garibaldians and Sardinians, and is said to have distinguished himself in a remarkable manner.

Bayard Taylor, in a farewell letter to the New York *Mercury*, thus sums up his labors for the past six months: "Two hundred and fifty lectures, thirty thousand miles travel, forty-eight *Mercury* articles, two books published, and one house built."

It is said that the Peruvian custom of amputation of the fifth toe, to make the foot pointed and small, is beginning to prevail in Paris.

The Vintner's Company, of London, have presented to the city of New York forty-eight swans, to be placed in the Central Park.

The Prince of Wales, according to the correspondent of a Buffalo paper, was delighted with Blondin's feats at Niagara, that he gave the adventurous Frenchman a gift of a $1000 in cash.

Capt. Reynolds, of the Tenth Infantry, U. S. A., arrived at Omaha lately, from an expedition to the Mad River country. He reports having discovered a pass 2500 feet lower than any yet heretofore discovered on the line of the rocky Mountains. It is about 46 deg. parallel latitude.

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50 cs Jewell & Harrison's Lard;
2100 sks Bayo Chili and White Beans;
50 chests choice Black Tea;
50 chests choice Green Tea;
200 boxes Adamantine and Sperm Candles;
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100 doz White Overalls;
100 doz fine Grey Overshirts;
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50 half bbls N O do
50 do do S I do
500 sacks Beans;
40 bags Rio Coffee;
50 firkins choice Butter;
50 cases Bacon;
50 do J & H Lard;
50 chests black Tea;
50 do green do
200 boxes Candles;

Oysters, Chickens,
Turkeys, Sardines,
Raisins, Chocolate,
Pilot Bread,
Powdered Sugar, P & M Yeast Powders,
Gunny Bags, Choice Brand Tobacco,
&c. &c. &c.

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NOTICE.

L. P. FISHER is our only authorized Agent for the collecting of advertisements, etc., in San Francisco.

Friday Morning, Nov. 16, 1860.

New Westminster Grand Jury Report.

Elsewhere appears the report of the New Westminster Grand Jury. They certainly have a spirited people up there—men who are not inclined to blink any question tending to promote their interests. The question of schools is very properly brought forward, and it is hoped encouragement will be afforded by the government. The £300 given to a postmaster had better be given to a schoolmaster. The small mail of New Westminster may be attended to without any salary. For a percentage—a mere nominal sum—several men can be found there who would fulfil the duties satisfactorily. And, with all due respect to the Grand Jury, thus entirely avoid expending a large sum of money for a Post Office till the country can better afford it. The expensive office of a stipendiary postmaster is a folly. Do as other communities, with fifty times the wealth and population,—give a percentage. A wide margin would thus be allowed for the dissemination of intelligence in a way differing materially from a sinecureship in a dead-letter office. Besides, now is the time to lay the foundation for a common school system, that will bless the rising generation, and be an inducement for men to bring their families into the country. Churchmen of all shades in contravention of the scripture, that their kingdom is not of this world, have been laying claim to town lots, public squares, and farms, for ecclesiastical uses. Such a doctrine should be repudiated, and let the benign influences of religion work its way by thorough voluntaryism. But grants of land for the support of schools should be set apart all through the colony; set apart with no parsimonious hand; and in such a way that they cannot be alienated for other purposes.

It would appear that New Westminster has a juvenile penitentiary in the shape of a jail. The Grand Jury are anxious to fill it with British Columbia convicts now in our chain-gang. How New Westminster can put in her claim to their exclusive use and benefit, we cannot see. But so far as principle is concerned, they are more entitled to exercise reformatory control over them than Victoria. We suggest, however, that by uniting the colonies, New Westminster may have a penitentiary erected, in which they may school our incorrigibles with their own. By union, two sets of superintendents and two sets of assistants, and two penitentaries would not be required. The saving would be quite an item.

The absence of Mr. Cary from British Columbia is deservedly censured. But why not censure Mr. Young? If the Colonies are separate Colonies, let the officers of each reside within their respective jurisdictions. If the Colonies are to be united, let it be done, and done speedily. We may then shape our policy for the future, and not have our ears bored with a perpetual howl about absentee officials. But that is all Governor Douglas' fault.

The water frontage is a question in which numbers in both Colonies are interested. When the water lots were sold, it was expected that the Government would at once improve the streets, and particularly the line of water front, so that an open embarcadero would stretch along the whole front of the town. We hope the City Council will see that is done. If, as it is intimated, private parties want to monopolize it, or erect buildings beyond the line of the lots, action should be taken to prevent it, at least the latter. A good way ought to be constructed, so that vehicles could pass. But if any peppercorn arrangement allows it to go into private hands to erect stores upon, the stores would deserve indicting as a nuisance. The water front of Victoria is ruined by erecting buildings along the harbor's edge, and New Westminster will suffer in the same way, if it is not careful.

LAUNCHED.—The new side-wheel steamer was launched successfully yesterday. She was christened the "Cariboo" by Mrs. John Sparks, who broke a bottle of champage over her bows. She is a fine-looking craft, and is designed to run from Victoria to Fort Hope, direct. Her engines will arrive shortly from San Francisco.

ESQUIMALT ELECTORS.—In our advertising columns are the addresses of two candidates: Dr. Trimble and Mr. Burnaby. We have no hesitation in saying, that the latter has not the confidence of the people of this town. Whatever he may be as a private citizen, as a politician he is nothing but the tool of the Cary faction. He has supported the party which has done everything to damage the interests of the country; the party that registered false votes; the party that has ridden roughshod over the interests of the poor but industrious farmer. Burnaby is allied with the men who libelled Mr. Langford. Mark that, men of Esquimalt. Don't forget it. If returned, he will aid in riveting the bands of a corrupt party still stronger. Repudiate him. Hear him not. Turn away from him as your worst enemy, as the enemy of your liberties, and your prosperity. When in office he was snubbed by Gov; Douglas, and yet he licks the hand that snubbed him. Do you want such unmanly representatives? We don't want him in Victoria; neither do you in Esquimalt. Dr. Trimble is a Reformer. He is a straightforward, manly, independent man. Vote for him; give him your support; return him, and your interests will be well attended to, and you'll have no cause to regret your choice. Return Dr. Trimble.

CORONER'S INQUEST.—Dr. Dickson, the coroner, yesterday held an inquest upon the body of John Augustus Bull, Esq., late master of H. M. S. Plumper, who died the day before. The evidence taken showed that he had dined with Dr. Wallace, of the R.N. Hospital, the evening before, and left that gentleman at six o'clock for home. During the night he was taken sick, and vomited frequently. Mrs. Bull administered to him a dose of salts, which, however, his stomach immediately rejected. In the morning, about half-past seven o'clock, whilst Mrs. B. was engaged with her household duties, she heard him groaning heavily, and upon proceeding to his room, found him in a fit of convulsions. Dr. Wallace was at once sent for, but upon that gentleman reaching the house, respiration had ceased, although the heart was still pulsating. Mr. Bull was noted for his uniform good health. A *post mortem* examination was made by Drs. Wood, Wallace and Turnbull, which showed the larger extremity of the stomach to be intensely red. All the other organs were in a normal state. An examination of the head was not made, the medical gentlemen deeming it unnecessary. A verdict was rendered that deceased had died from natural causes. Mr. Bull was noted for his correct and steady habits, and was much esteemed by his brother officers for his many virtues. His young wife is bowed down with affliction by his sudden and untimely death.

A WELCOME VISIT.—There is in the chain-gang of Victoria a Shuswap Indian, known to the convicts by the name of "Hardbread." He was convicted at Fort Yale, more than a year ago, on a charge of having attempted, while under the influence of liquor, to murder a man at La Fontaine, by shooting him in the head, and sentenced to hard labor for life. He is said to be a very steady, hard-working Indian, and one in whom much confidence is placed by the guards. The other day, a brother of his arrived here in the Otter. He had travelled 250 miles on purpose to see his relative, and tell him the news. The moment they met, they rushed into each other's arms, uttering peculiar cries, and hugged and kissed each other with a vehemence that would have done credit to the most affectionate white people. "Hardbread" was kindly allowed a short time in which to converse with his brother. During the day he retained his usual stoicism; but late in the night the jailor heard a sound of suppressed sobbing, and going to "Hardbread's" cell, discovered him weeping bitterly.

FOREIGN JURORS.—Chief Justice Cameron yesterday decided that every male foreigner in the colony, who has been a resident for twelve months, is liable to serve as a juror in civil cases; but in criminal cases, a foreigner is not obliged to serve. We wonder whether the same rule will not apply to coroner's juries?

UNTRUE.—The report that the body of Capt. Brodrick had been found in the woods near McCauley's Point, circulated yesterday, proved to be false. The finding of the body of the Indian woman on the beach (noticed elsewhere) probably originated the report.

DEAD BODY FOUND.—The dead body of an Indian woman was found yesterday morning, upon the beach at McCauley's Point. Quite an excitement was raised when the body was first found, as it was supposed to be that of the lamented Capt. Brodrick. The coroner, we understand, has been notified.

Arrivals from the River.

The steamers Otter and Caledonia arrived yesterday afternoon from New Westminster. They brought about 30 passengers and $20,000 in gold dust—of which amount, Ballou's Express had $8000.

The steamer Hope arrived safely at New Westminster, and has gone on to Port Douglas; she gives entire satisfaction.

Dustan's large canoe bound for Lytton City with merchandize, is reported lost in the Big Canon. All hands saved.

Dunbar's Express had not arrived at Hope at latest date, from Rock Creek.

Very few men are on their way down. The rush is nearly over, and those left will probably winter in British Columbia.

The river still continues high, and boating through the canons very dangerous.

The Caledonia brought down 100 barrels of Fraser River salmon.

COLONIAL THEATRE.—The versatility and correctness of the Potter Dramatic Troupe is perfectly astonishing, even to old theatregoers. Last evening, "Romeo and Juliet" was performed to a delighted audience, in a style highly satisfactory. Miss Lulu's dance, and Mr. Oliver's song, were well received, and the afterpiece created much amusement. To-morrow evening, the beautiful drama of "The Drunkard" and "Little Toddlekins," interspersed with song and dance, will be given.

LOSS OF THE "MORNING STAR."—On Monday night last, during a heavy gale of wind from the southeast, the schooner Morning Star, Capt. Spring, was driven ashore on Discovery Island, and soon afterwards went to pieces. All hands reached dry land by means of a small boat, and were taken off on Wednesday by the schooner Mary Ann, and arrived in town yesterday. The Morning Star was loaded with coal from Nanaimo for Esquimalt. She was owned by McKay & Spring, and, with her cargo, valued at about $3,200.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Notice to Builders.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED until WEDNESDAY, Nov 21st, at Messrs. HIBBEN & CARSWELL, for the Erection of a Frame Building on Broughton street for the Excelsior Gymnastic Club. Plans and Specifications to be seen at the above mentioned place. Tenders to be directed to "Frank P. Gerry, Secretary." n16 1w

FOR SALE.

12,000 LBS. POTATOES; 20,000 lbs Oats.
Cheap for cash! Apply to
JNO. BUTT,
Government street,
n16 3t* between Yates and Johnson streets.

Drawing Academy.

THE UNDERSIGNED CONTEMPLATES opening a Class for instruction in Mechanical and Architectonical Drawing, if a sufficient number of participators will join to make it an object.

Terms, $8 per month, instruction four days a week, from 9 A. M to 2 P. M.

For particulars apply immediately at the northwest corner of Yates and Government streets, (up stairs,) from 9 to 11 A. M., and from 7 to 8 P. M.

n16 1w* R. d' HEUREUSE, C. E.

Colonial Theatre.

POTTER DRAMATIC TROUPE.

SATURDAY EVENING, Nov 17, 1860,

Will be presented the beautiful Moral Drama, in 5 Acts, entitled

THE DRUNKARD!

Song—"Man the Life-Boat"—by Mr. Oliver.
Favorite Song and Dance by Miss Lulu Sweet.

To conclude with the new and laughable Farce of

LITTLE TODDLEKINS.

CORRESPONDENCE.

VICTORIA, V. I., Nov. 14, 1860

DEAR SIR:—On the eve of your departure, I am requested by the Directors and Members of the Philharmonic Society to convey to you their sincere thanks for your most kind and efficient services during the period you have acted as General Musical Director of the Society, and to beg of you to accept as a small tribute of their esteem, a Concert for your especial benefit, which shall be given on such an evening as may suit your personal convenience.

I am, yours truly,
JOHN D'EWES, V. P.

To Mr. J. Bayley.

VICTORIA, V. I., Nov. 14, 1860.

DEAR SIR:—Allow me to return my most sincere thanks to the Directors and Members of the Philharmonic Society, for their kind appreciation of my humble efforts, and to fix WEDNESDAY NEXT for the Concert they have been good enough to offer me.

I remain, your obed't serv't,
JOHN BAYLEY.

To J. D'Ewes, Esq., V. P. n16

AUCTION.

J. A. McCREA, Auctioneer,

WILL SELL

THIS DAY,

FRIDAY, November 16, 1860,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

TO CLOSE CONSIGNMENTS,

At Mr. Young's Warehouse, near Esquimalt Bridge:

30 casks Tenant's No 1 Draught Ale, in order.
6 casks Do "as is."

J. A. McCREA,
n15 Auctioneer.

M. PRAG.

Yates street,
offers for sale, cheap,

HARDWARE,

Agricultural Implements,

Bar Iron, Steel & Iron-Mongery,

STOVE & TINWARE

of every description.

Glass and Crockery Ware, Wood and Willow Ware, &c. &c. n15

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NEW DRY GOODS.

THE WELL KNOWN DRY GOODS Store of A. HOFFMAN, corner of Yates and Government streets, is now stocked with a full assortment of the latest and best

Winter Goods,

Imported from ENGLAND, FRANCE and CALIFORNIA, direct, comprising

Silk Velvet Mantillas,

LATEST STYLE;

Cloth and Cassimere Cloaks,

Russian, Sable and Martin

Victorines, Muffs and Cuffs,

BROCHEE LONG SHAWLS, BLACK CASHMERE SHAWLS, with splendid Camel's Hair Borders,

WOOLEN SHAWLS

Of every description.

We would particularly impress upon the minds of the ladies of Victoria and Vancouver Island, that we have just opened the Richest and most Fashionable Assortment of

Silk Dresses

Ever offered in this Market, consisting of Brocade, Gros de Naple, Gros de Rine, Rich Flounce and Side Stripes, Robe and Double Skirts; a splendid selection of

Poplins, Delaines and Plaids.

Our Stock of

EMBROIDERIES

Is unsurpassed on the Pacific Coast, such as Sets of Valleucien Lace, French, Scotch and Swiss Embroidered Collars and Sleeves, and also Edgings, Insertions and Stripes. Our assortment of

Domestic & Staple Dry Goods

Is also complete, among which is the best Welch, French and Shaker FLANNEL.

Ladies' Hosiery and Gloves

Of every description.

NUBIAS, POLKAS and HOODS, BED SPREADS, SHEETINGS, CARPETS, MATTINGS and OIL CLOTHS, fine French

FAMILY BLANKETS,

10-4, 11-4 and 12-4.

We invite the public to examine our Stock, and promise to give satisfaction to the most fastidious tastes, as well with regard to quality as to economy.

We charge but a slight advance on Manufacturing Prices.

We have, in addition to the above, an elegant assortment of goods suitable for

HOLIDAY PRESENTS,

and to which we direct the particular attention of our patrons. Orders from British Columbia and Washington Territory, promptly attended to.

1m is

Greeleys' Bourbon Bitters.

THE POPULARITY OF THESE BITTERS is justly due to the purity of the materials of which they are prepared, and the delicate combination of simple alteratives and tonics so well calculated to act upon every part of the digestive organs, and through them to reach and cure all complaints arising from a diseased condition of the Stomach and Bowels.

GREELEYS' BOURBON WHISKEY BITTERS are highly nourishing and fattening, and as a Tonic for old people, delicate ladies, consumptive patients, and all weakly persons, they cannot be surpassed. In all cases of Weakness or Debility, they will give immediate relief, and impart a strong, healthy tone to the system. For the cure of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Nervous Diseases, Liver Complaints, Weakness or Debility, Flatulency and Nausea, and all complaints consequent upon a disordered state of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, they are not equaled. As an agreeable stomachac, they are much admired; they sharpen the appetite, brighten the intellect, and infuse new life and vigor. No one who uses these Bitters can be subject to an attack of Fever and Ague or Diarrhœa.

Put up in Quart Bottles, in cases of one and two dozen, and for sale by Druggists, Grocers and Liquor Merchants everywhere.

GEO. W. SNELL, General Agent,
130 Washington street,
n14 3m San Francisco.

Ex Late Arrivals.

CHINA RICE NO. 1,
China Sugar, No. 1,
Sandwich Island Sugar,
Crushed Sugar in bbls and hlf bbls,
Powdered do in boxes,
Bacon, (Patterson & Knapp, 1860,)
Lard, (Jewell & Harrison),
Billings' Hams,
B yo Beans,
Golden Gate Flour,
Prime Hams,
Barber's do
Pork in hlf bbls,
Butter in firkins,
New Butter in cans,
English Cheese,
Piper's Oysters,
Field's do
H & Baker's do
Lobsters,
Assorted Meat in cans,
Roast Mutton do
Sardines in ¼ and ½ boxes,
French preserved Meat,
Italian Maccaroni,
Vermicelli,
Sperm and Adamantine Candles
Choice Black Tea,
Java Coffee,
Rio do
Cases Polack Matches,
Cases Wax Matches,
Cases Tobacco,

And a general assortment of Groceries and Provisions, which is offered for sale at very low rates by
G. VIGNOLO,
n10 1m Johnson street.

For Sale, Ex Recent Arrivals.

300 CASES OLD TOM,
3 Punch's McKenzie's sup. Scotch Whisky,
2 do. Stewart's do. do.
10 Cases Davenport's celebrt'd Wheat Whisky,
50 Cases superior Brandy,
30 Cases Duff Gordon's Pale Sherry,
50 Cases Booth & Sedgwick Gin,
50 Cases Oregon Cider
20 Half Barrels and Qr. Cask Cider,
50 Casks Tennant's Strong Jug Ale, Imp. Qts,
30 Casks Ind & Cope's Burton Ale,
20 Casks Byass' Pale Ale, in Pts.,
20 Cases Assorted Syrups,
20 Cases Cherry Cordial,
20 Kegs Old Bourbon Whisky,
In lots to suit.

J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO.,
o18 1m Wharf street.

ROYAL HOTEL,

WHARF STREET,
VICTORIA.

BOARD, per Week.....$7 to $8.
BOARD AND LODGING, per Week. $10.
Wines, Ales and Liquors of the best description.
Private Rooms for Families.
☞ A large HALL, suitable for Balls or Public Meetings.
JAMES WILCOX,
n14-tf Proprietor.

FOR SALE.

TWO SECOND HAND BILLIARD TABLES (Phelan's manufactory) at
G. VIGNOLO'S.
n10 1m

MISCELLANEOUS.

FRANK BEEGAN,

Boot and Shoemaker.

HAS REMOVED FROM HIS OLD stand opposite the Express Office, to

NO. 39 YATES STREET,

Adjoining Moore's Fire-proof Building.

Constantly on hand, a large assortment of Ladies', Gent's, and Children's Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.

BOOTS & SHOES

of every description made to order, in the latest styles and cheapest rates.

NEW BOOTS, $11; FOOTED BOOTS, $8.
Made of the best Calf Skin.
Repairing done with neatness and dispatch.

se4 3m 2p FRANK BEEGAN.

On Commission, and for Sale,

THE FOLLOWING GOODS,

JUST RECEIVED BY THE GLIMPSE:

ONE ELEGANT BLACK WALNUT, MAROON colored Plush Parlor Set, consisting of Sofa, Rocking Chair, two Easy Chairs and 4 Parlor Chairs. One Elegant Brocatelle Set with two Sofas.

—ALSO—

4 Mahogany Chests of Drawers;
4 do Bureaus;
8 cases Boston Rockers;
6 do cane and wood seat Chairs.

—ALSO—

An Invoice of Groceries, consisting of Billings Hams, 19 kits of Mackerel, No. 1; 43 boxes Pearl Starch, 20 firkins of Choice Butter, 5 cases of Lard, 20 boxes of Colgate's Soap, 10 kegs of Dried Apples, 10 cases of Oysters, 300 bags of Salt, 25 gross of Pipes, 5 chests of superior Black Tea, 10 cases of Soda Crackers, 10 cases Jenny Linds, 4 cases of superior Winter Clothing, 5 dozen Wash Boards, 2 gross of Yeast Powders, 1 cases of Ax Handles, 10 boxes of Pepper

—ALSO—

4 cases of Toys for Christmas.

P. M. BACKUS, Auctioneer,
n10 Yates street.

THESE UNEQUALLED BITTERS and TONIC are now meeting with unparalleled sales, and favor with consumers. In all cases of DYSPEPSIA, DEBILITY, LOSS OF APPETITE, or any irregularity of the stomach, they will be found an efficient remedy, as well as a most wholesome and agreeable Tonic.

As a preventive of Chills and Fever, they have no equal, and have with thousands become an indispensable family medicine; being perfectly pure, and free from any deleterious substance, can be taken by all, young and old, male and female, with benefit.

For sale by GEO. W. SNELL, Agent, San Francisco, and by the principal Grocers, Druggists and Wine Merchants throughout the country. n10 6m

Trees! Trees!!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS JUST RECEIVED a full assortment of

Fruit and Ornamental Trees and Shrubbery,

From Portland and Olympia Nurseries, which he will sell at low rates. I will plant all Trees, and warrant them to grow.

Leave orders at the New England Bakery, Government street, for
CHAS. DECHENT,
n13 1m* Practical Gardner.

Victoria Coal Company.

COAL AND WOOD.

THE PRICE OF COAL IN QUANTITIES of One Ton and upwards, including drayage and porterage, will from this date be ELEVEN DOLLARS PER TON.

JOHN T. LITTLE & CO., Agents,
City Wharf, foot of Yates street.
Victoria, Oct. 31, 1860. n3 1m 2p.

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A fine assortment of

POCKET DIARIES

AND

DAILY JOURNALS,

For Counting House and Office use, just received and for sale at
HIBBEN & CARSWELL'S,
n13 Stationers' Hall.

Lumber, Lime, Building Stone

BRICK, &C.

20 M FT. ASSORTED RED WOOD LUMBER,
20 M ft. T and G. Flooring,
10 M ft. Cedar,
200 bbls V. I. Lime,
100 tons Salt Spring Building Stone,
100 M Brick,

For Sale by
JOHN T. LITTLE & CO.,
n3 1m2p City Wharf, foot Yates st.

Coals at $9.00 per Ton

Of 2,240 Pounds.

THE VICTORIA COAL COMPANY offer for sale One Hundred Tons superior Coals, screened free from dust, and suitable for small stoves and grates, free of drayage and porterage, in quantities of one ton and upwards.

JOHN T. LITTLE & CO., Agent,
o31 1m2dp City Wharf.

To Rent! To Rent!

A FIREPROOF STORE.

TO RENT—THE FIREPROOF BRICK STORE in the "Colonist Building," Government street, near the Post Office; will be rented low, if application be made at once. It is well fitted with Counter and Shelves for a Grocer or Dry Goods man.

n3 2dp A. DE COSMOS.

For New Westminster.

The Splendid Steamer

ELIZA ANDERSON,

WILL RUN REGULARLY, LEAVING Victoria every TUESDAY EVENING, connecting with the up-river boats.

For Freight and Passage, which will be at the lowest rates, apply on board. o17 tf

Sugar, Molasses, Salt.

25 TONS S. I. SALT, Sugar in kegs and bbls,
Molasses in kegs and bbls,

For Sale by
JOHN T. LITTLE & CO.,
n3 1m Commission Merchant, Wharf st.

TO LET,

A COTTAGE ON BLANCHARD ST., near Fort, suitable for a small family. Apply at the Office of the BRITISH COLONIST. n9 3t

LADIES AT THE THEATRE. — Since the night of the riot, ladies' visits to the theatre have been like those angels are said to make upon this mundane sphere, "few and far between." We are sorry to notice this fact, as the performances are chaste and creditable in their character, and no fear need now be felt of another difficulty, as a large police force is nightly stationed within the building to preserve order. "Ye gods in ye gallerie" have also subsided into comparative silence; and during the past week, the audience has been most orderly. No reasonable objection can now be urged by the fair sex against patronizing and encouraging the worthy company with their presence, and we hope at the future entertainments to see a goodly array of crino—beg pardon!—ladies, in the parquette seats.

DEATH OF CAPT. WILLIAMS.—We received intelligence yesterday afternoon of the death of Capt. Williams, late master of the British bark Sea Nymph. Capt. Williams left here a short time ago for Hood's Canal, in Washington Territory, for the purpose of taking passage to London in the bark Grecian, there loading with spars. He reached that point, and expired at the camp of Messrs. Hood & Miller, situated about five miles above Seabec, on the 9th inst. As he is said to have been drinking excessively of late, his death is ascribed to *delirium tremens*. He leaves a wife and child (who sailed for England in the ship Ravensdale, about two weeks since) to mourn his loss. His age was 37 years.

CONCERT HALL. — The upper story of Moore's new building, Yates street, has been leased, and will be fitted up as a hall in which to hold concerts, etc.

☞ John Butts has gone into the produce business. See his advertisement in another column.

☞ The bark Glimpse sailed yesterday for San Francisco, *via* Port Madison.

Court of Assizes.

THURSDAY, Nov. 15, 1860.

Court met at 11 o'clock. His Lordship, Chief Justice Cameron, presiding.

SENTENCES.

John Howe, convicted of assault with intent to kill, upon the person of John Nelson, and recommended to mercy by the jury, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment with hard labor.

"Jack," a Stickeen Indian, convicted of the manslaughter of a half-breed Cowichan boy, and recommended to mercy, was sentenced to eighteen months imprisonment, with hard labor.

"Wassait," a Cowichan Indian, about 18 years of age, and rather good looking, convicted of having murdered a Hydah squaw, some months since, with accompanying circumstances of peculiar atrocity, was arraigned for sentence. His Lordship stated that owing to the fact of the unfortunate woman not having been subjected to cross-examination, he should order sentence of death to be recorded against him, and that he be kept at hard labor for the term of three years. In the meantime, the facts of the case would be laid before His Excellency the Governor.

John Weimiss, a negro, charged as an accessory to the murder of the Cowichan half-breed boy by "Jack," in having sold him the liquor under the influence of which he had committed the murder, was discharged, with his lordship's assurance that if he was ever brought before him again, his connection with this fatal occurrence, should be borne in mind.

The Attorney General having entered a *nolle prosequi* in the case of Jacob Young, indicted for obtaining money under false pretences, he was discharged from custody.

DEFAULTING JURORS.

Coroner Dickson returned the names of C. B. Young and Wm. Culverwell, defaulting jurors. Ordered to show cause on Monday week why judgment should not be recorded against them.

The Court was then adjourned *sine die*.

To the Electors of Esquimalt and Metchosin District.

GENTLEMEN:—A vacancy having occurred in the representation of your District by the resignation of Captain Cooper, and having had the honor to receive the promise of support from a large number of you, I unhesitatingly offer myself as a candidate at the approaching election.

It were useless for me to enlarge upon what I will do if returned, while I can refer you with full confidence to my acts during a residence of upwards of two years in the Colony.

My constant efforts have been to aid in obtaining good laws and salutary reforms of all abuses, and I shall unflinchingly continue, under any circumstances, to pursue the same course.

The general interests of the Colony, as a matter of honest duty, must be my first object; but I shall, at the same time, take especial care to do all in my power to promote those of the farmers, who conduce so essentially to the prosperity of every country, that, as a matter of right, they ought to command our fostering care.

I am, gentlemen, your obed't servant,
JAMES TRIMBLE.

Victoria, Nov. 16, 1860.

LORD BYRON'S HEIR.—Lord Lovelace's son and heir, the grandson to whom will ultimately go the bulk of the late Lady Byron's large landed property, and who now becomes Baron Wentworth by her death, has for a considerable time past, been working at weekly wages as an artizan in the smiths' department at Woolwich Arsenal.

To the Electors of the Esquimalt District

GENTLEMEN:—Through the partiality of some friends of influence in your district, I was induced to take steps toward the attainment of the high trust of representing you in the House of Assembly.

I have, however, since found that in a great measure your votes were so secured beforehand, and your promises of support so divided between two candidates, Dr. Trimble and Mr. Burnaby, as to show that ultimately your choice cannot fall upon me at the approaching election. I therefore do withdraw from the contest.

I venture, however, to express a hope that your decision may be in favor of the man who possesses most judgment and experience—who, having a just regard to the *general opinion* of those who are to be governed, will firmly give *direction* and *form* to that opinion.

Choose the man who, from your knowledge of him, will best secure an inquiry into the expenditure of the public money before any fresh burdens are laid upon the Island.

Choose the man who, while upholding "the powers that be," will resist, in every legitimate way, the disposition of public property without public consent; who will lend himself to no factious party, and who will never suffer the *true seat of authority, which lies in the affections and interests of the people*, to be shaken by speculative reasoners and self-interested men, whoever they may be—and who, in your judgment, best, and with the most unflinching disregard of consequences, will put public honor and good faith far before all private interests.

Thanking those gentlemen who were good enough to promise me their support,

I am, gentlemen, obediently yours,
D. BABINGTON RING.

Victoria, Nov. 15, 1860.

To the Electors of Esquimalt and Metchosin District.

GENTLEMEN:—In consequence of the retirement of Captain Cooper, I have been requested by several electors to offer myself as a candidate to represent you in the House of Assembly.

If elected to that responsible post it will be my constant care to support all liberal and progressive measures.

Being entirely independent of Government and party influence, I am prepared to give every question my honest consideration and vote, and to further as much as possible the transaction of public business.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
ROBERT BURNABY.

New Westminster Grand Jury Report.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 12.

To His Honor James Douglas, Governor of British Columbia:

SIR:—The Grand Jury, summoned for the present assizes, held at New Westminster this day, in accordance with the duties that devolve upon them, beg to present your Honor with the following report, which they request may be laid before His Excellency Governor Douglas.

SCHOOL.

That this Grand Jury considers that it is the duty of all good governments to provide education for the young, and as we have many children in this city wanting education, we consider that the Government ought to make a grant of money for a public school, and that a teacher to the same be appointed for the benefit of such children.

CHAIN-GANG.

We have also to report that we have visited the prison, and that it is now ready to receive the prisoners belonging to this Colony, who are kept at an expense in the neighboring Colony of Vancouver's Island, and suggest that they be sent up without delay, as their labor will be useful in the formation of our roads and streets.

POST OFFICE.

And as we are aware that there are plenty of funds in the hands of the Treasurer of this Colony, we request that a post office be erected, as the public are put to much inconvenience by its being kept in the prison, which, from its situation, is at times nearly inaccessible to the people.

BUOYS AND LIGHT SHIP.

As the outside buoys, lately put down marking out the entrance to this port, have been washed away, we consider no delay ought to occur in placing at the Sand Heads a light ship, such being considered by all practical men the only permanent way of marking out the channel, and that buoys be placed in other parts if necessary. That the safety of the port, interest of the underwriters, and protection to the commerce of British Columbia, demands immediate action of Government on this head.

ROADS.

That we have in the immediate vicinity of this town, large tracts of land suitable for agricultural pursuits, which the Colony will derive a large revenue from when made available for settlement, and we have several settlers already settled on the line of roads, who are unable to bring their produce into market. We recommend that a wagon road be made from the camp to Burrard's Inlet by the north line, and that another be constructed from the end of Douglas street to English Bay, and that trails be made on the other side the river, one to Mad Bay, and another to join the road to Langley.

CITY COUNCIL COMPLIMENTED.

We consider the Municipal Council of this city has expended the money placed in their hands judiciously, and we recommend that another sum be granted them.

WHARF QUESTION.

That some disposition be immediately made of the water frontage of the city, so that the present owners of wharves and improvements be protected, and other parties enabled to go on with the construction of wharves and other improvements which they are unable to do on account of the present delay in the issue of the necessary proclamation which also prevents the frontage being made available.

INTINERANT CUSTOM HOUSE.

That the system of collecting duties in detail, part here and part up country, we condemn as a most serious injury to commerce, and suggest that all duties on goods entering Fraser River be collected at the Port of Entrance, and that the mule tax and tonnage rates be abolished.

SHORT RATIONS FOR CARY.

We request that his Excellency's attention may be called to the fact of the Attorney General being absent at the two last assizes, and that there was a prisoner for him to prosecute last assizes. We protest against his receiving a large salary from British Columbia when residing in another colony, and not attending to the duties of his office.

HENRY HOLBROOK, Foreman.
JOHN RAMAGE, } Committee to assist in
WM. CLARKSON, } drawing up the Report.
And 13 Grand Jurors.

CAPT. FLEMING.—Since this gentleman has been in command of the Eliza Anderson, he has been unceasing in his attentions to this office, and the simple expression of our thanks will hardly liquidate our indebtedness to him. But we understand he is just as attentive to the wants of everybody else, and especially those who travel on his boat, and we therefore thank him on behalf of the public.—*Steilacoom Herald.*

We fully indorse our cotemporary's opinion of Capt. Fleming, to whom we are indebted for many acts of courtesy.

DIED.

On the 14th inst., at Esquimalt, JOHN AUGUSTUS BULL, Esq., Master R. N., H. M. S. Plumper, eldest son of Thomas Bull, Esq., Commander, R. N.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVED.

Nov 15—Str Eliza Anderson, Fleming, Port Townsend
Str Otter, Mount, New Westminster
Bark Grecian, Miller, Port Townsend
Bark Druid, Short, Port Townsend
Schr Marion, Arden, Sooke
Schr Kossuth, Oliver, Port Townsend
Schr Mary Ann, Jones, Nanaimo
Sloop Eagle, Collins, Port Townsend
Sloop W B Naylor, Kennedy, Sooke

CLEARED.

Nov 15—Str Eliza Anderson, Fleming, New Westminster
Bark Glimpse, Roeder, Port Townsend
Schr Cadboro, Boyle, Nanaimo
Schr Wizard, McDonald, Salt Spring Island
Schr Pisquatiqua, Hotchkiss, Port Townsend
Schr Marion, Arden, Sooke

IMPORTS.

Per schooner KOSSUTH, from Port Townsend—20 windows, 36 doors, 32,000 ft lumber, 1000 shingles, 1200 pickets; value, $651

Per steamer ELIZA ANDERSON, from Port Townsend—15 bdls trees, 1 box eggs; value, $120

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YATES STREET,

Where they offer for Sale an Entirely New Stock of

DRY GOODS,

CLOTHING,

Hats & Caps,

ETC.....ETC.....ETC.

Also, a full assortment of

HOSIERY

AND

Gents' Furnishing Goods

Their large and well assorted Stock enables them to offer GREAT INDUCEMENTS TO WHOLESALE BUYERS.

☞ Business Hours from 7½ A. M. to 8 P. M. Open on Saturdays to 10½ P. M. n13

A. GILMORE,

TAILOR,

Yates street, third door below Government street,

HAS RECEIVED BY THE LATEST arrivals a large assortment of Custom-made

WINTER CLOTHING

AND

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

With a well assorted Stock of Cloths, consisting of

Pilot, Beaver, Cassimere,
Fancy and Black Doeskin,
Fancy Velvet and Silk Vest Patterns,

Which I am prepared to make to order in the latest and most approved styles.

My Stock is wholly composed of Gentlemen's Goods, and my personal attention entirely devoted to rendering satisfaction to my patrons.

The Tailoring Department connected with my Ready-made Clothing, enables me to sell the same quality of goods cheaper than any other establishment in Victoria.

Those parties desirous of durable and well fitting garments would find it advantageous to call.

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Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters.—No medicine has ever achieved a higher reputation. In every section of the country its merits are known and fully acknowledged. The leading physicians in the country have expressed their warm approval of this preparation, as uniting all the best qualities of a tonic and invigorator, without kindling an appetite for alcoholic liquors. In cases of diseases of the digestive organs, to which all unacclimated persons are from necessity, exposed, as the proper diet cannot at all times be had, the Bitters will be found to be the quickest corrective and most reliable remedy yet discovered. Diarrhœa, Dysentery, and the various bilious and intermittent fevers all yield to the curative properties of this medicine. No person should be without the Bitters a single day.

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150 CASES TURNER'S ASSORTED Syrup and Ginger Wine;
10 barrels of superior Apple Jack.
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NOTICES.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

THE BARK "GLIMPSE," CAPT. H. Roeder, from San Francisco, will commence discharging THIS (Friday) MORNING, at Union Wharf. Consignees will please call at the Office of the undersigned, and receive orders for their goods.

All goods, when landed, will be at the risk of the owners thereof, and if left remaining on the wharf after 5 o'clock, P. M., will be stored at their expense.

PEASE & BOYCE.
n9 Union Wharf.

NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP EXISTING between the undersigned carrying on business in Yates street, Victoria, as Commission Merchants, under the Firm of NORRIS, COX & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

JOHN G NORRIS,
JOHN COX.

Victoria, 1st November, 1860.

The business will be continued as usual by J. G. NORRIS, by whom consignments are respectfully solicited. n3 1m

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE Colony, I have appointed JOHN KANE as my Agent, to transact business in my name.

n13 1w J. H. MACDONALD.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the Estate of the late ALPHONSE KAINDLER, are hereby notified to present the same at the Office of the undersigned for settlement, within thirty days from this date, or be forever debarred.

F. J. DE ST. OURS.
Nov. 1, 1860. n2

Public Notice.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE DELAY in the publication of the Act "To Impose certain Duties in respect of certain Trades and Occupations," the time for furnishing to this Office the Returns required by that Act is extended to the fifteenth inst.

By order.

G. T. GORDON,
Act'g Treasurer.
Treasury, Nov. 9th, 1860. n10

Public Notice.

WHEREAS, THE "ACT TO IMPOSE certain Duties in respect of certain Trades and Occupations," came into operation on the 24th day of October, 1860; and whereas, by Section 34 of said Act, it is provided "that all Traders and others shall, within fourteen days after the passage of this Act, deliver to the Treasurer of Vancouver Island, at the Treasury, a return as from the first day of July last, in the form marked B in the said Schedule, and shall file in the same with a correct statement of the actual amount of the money which during the three calendar months next preceding the return shall have been received by him, or any person in his behalf."

I hereby give notice that such returns must be delivered at the Treasury, on or before the ninth day of November next, according as the Law directs

G. T. GORDON,
Act'g Treasurer.
Treasury, November 5th, 1860.

N. B.—Copies of this Act can be obtained at Messrs Hibben & Carswell's, at cost price, and blank Forms of Return, upon application either at Messrs. Hibben & Carswell's or at the Treasury. n6

Assay Office,

YATES STREET,

VICTORIA, V. I.

THE LIBERAL PATRONAGE RECEIVED from Miners and Dealers in Gold Dust, since the opening of the PIONEER ASSAY OFFICE they still continue at their old labor, and solicit a continuance of their support.

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Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam, a Great remedy for COLD and CONSUMPTION.—Port Larimies, Shelby Co., O., June 10, 1860.—Messrs A. L. Scovill & Co.—Dear Sirs: I formerly lived in Filmore, Putnam county, Indiana, and while I was there I was attacked with a violent cough, which reduced me very low, and I tried several remedies all to no purpose, and finally one of my neighbors came and told me about Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs being very highly recommended for such diseases, and by recommendations I was induced to try the remedy. I used only TWO BOTTLES, and it CURED ME.

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This household remedy should be in the hands of every family and individual, as a timely application of it to a slight cold will cause immediate relief; while cases of long standing, obstinate, and apparently incurable character, will surely yield to its wonderful curative powers and its great adaptation to the wants of man when afflicted.

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BY LATE ARRIVALS, THE UNDERSIGNED have received additions to their hitherto well-assorted stock of Furniture—and now offer

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CENTRE TABLES, Serpentine and round tops, assorted sizes;
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LOUNGES, spring seats, in damask and leather covers;
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CHEFFONIERS, walnut and mah'ny carved fronts, 3 shelves, fret work;
BUREAUS, one-half marble top, scroll and painted pine, 4 and 6 drawers;
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MIRRORS, in gilt and mahogany frames, assorted sizes, for parlors, chambers and saloons;
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This invoice of Cigars is warranted genuine, and is sold for the best Havana production. Is also the only invoice of Cigars received from Havana in this market.

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Anecdote of the Late Col. Preston.

Many of our American readers remember the stately presence, the dignified bearing and imposing manner of Colonel William C. Preston, of South Carolina. It was when all these qualities were in their prime, and Preston represented his State in the Senate of the United States, that business or pleasure called him to the West, and to take passage down the Mississippi river. In those "flush times" the steamers swarmed with hoosiers, greenhorns, and gamblers, the latter politely designated "sporting gentlemen," the term "gambler" or "blackleg" entailing on the speaker a pistol shot or a wipe from the bowie-knife.

The boat was on the eve of departure, and our Senator, standing on deck and holding a small mahogany box, was observing with great interest and pleasure the busy scene on the wharf, when an individual, luxuriating in a rather ornate style of dress, approached him, and in subdued tones demanded:

"I say, old feller, when are you going to commence?"

"Commence what, sir?" asked the astonished Senator.

"Pshaw! none of that gammon with me! The fact is, a few of us boys on board want a little fun, and we won't pile it on too strong for you; so come and open at once."

"Really, sir," replied Preston, "I am at a loss to guess your meaning; open what?"

"Open what! Why the bank, of course. May be you think our pile isn't large enough to make it an object. But we're not so poor as all that any how!"

The Senator meditated gloomingly, but all was dark to him; he was plunged into a sea of doubt, and had never met any problem, not even a political one, so hard to solve.

"Perhaps," broke in his pertinacious friend again, after a considerable pause, "perhaps you will say directly that you are not a sporting man."

"I certainly am nothing of the kind, sir," replied Preston, rather angrily; "and I can't imagine what put that idea into your head."

"Not a sporting man! Whew-w! I never heard of such a piece of impudence! Well, if you are not a sporting man, will you please tell me why you carry the tools about with you?" and he pointed to the mahogany box which he still carried.

A light broke on Preston's mind. "The mahogany box!" he cried. Ha, ha! ha, ha! —very natural mistake, indeed, my good sir, very natural indeed! my good sir; very indeed! Well, I will show you the contents." And laughing heartily, he opened the box in question, which was, in fact, a dressing case, and displayed the usual parade of brushes, combs, razors, soap, etc., which usually fill that article of traveling comfort.

Our friend looked at the case, then at him, then he pondered.

"Well," he broke out at length, "I did take you to be a sporting gentleman—I did; but now I see you are a barber; but if I'd known it, hang me if I had spoke to you." And so saying, he "vamoosed."

Fancy the feelings of our honorable Senator, as he assumed these various characters in the eyes of an anxious stranger.

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In lots to suit.

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In cases of debility, languor, and nervousness generated by excess of any kind, whether mental or physical, the effect of these Pills is in the highest degree bracing, renovating and restorative. They drive from the system the morbid cause of disease; re-establish the digestion, regulate all the secretions, brace the nervous system, raise the patient's spirits, and bring back the frame to its pristine health and vigor. They increase the appetite, while they secure perfect digestion to all ordinary food, and release the invalid from restraint in diet.

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JAS. LANGSHORE.

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Do do Balmoral Boots;
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150 cases D. Gordon's Sherry Wine, pale and brown;
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10 Puncheons Scotch Whiskey,
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15 pipes Holland Gin;
15 ½ casks Sazerac Cognac;
10 " " J Robbins' Cognac;
10 " " Martel Cognac;
15 " " Seignette Cognac;

25 bbls Bourbon Whiskey

50 bbls Alcohol
50 casks American Brandy;
25 hhds Allsopp & Son's Burton Ale;
50 bbls Oregon Cider;

150 cases Swain and Boord's Old Tom
300 cases London Dock Cogna Brandy;
20 cases London Club House Gin;
50 " Wolfe's Schnapps;

100 cs V. H. & Co. Anchor Holland Gin
50 " Absinthe Suisse;
50 " Vermouth Rivoire;
50 " Scotch Whiskey, Rob't Thin;

150 cases Claret Wine
50 " John Durand Haut Sautern
10 bbls D. Gordon Sherry Wine;
10 " Crown Port Wine;

25 baskets Heidsick Champagne
10 " Heidsick Champagne, pints;

25 cases Rosenbaum's Bitters;
25 " Hostetter's Bitters;
15 " Turner's Forest Wine Bitters;
25 " Boker's Bitters;
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